

GOSSIP OF FRATERNAL CIRCLES "PEARL OF THE ARMY"

Masonic Activities.

The Grotto.
Kallipolis Grotto is making elaborate preparation for its "inaugural ceremony" to be staged at the New Willard March 15. Monarch I. S. Goldsmith has issued a circular to the prophets giving an outline of the affair. The circular also contains his proclamation.

At the last meeting of the grotto George H. Emmons, Jr., the retiring monarch, was presented with a past monarch's jewel. Past Monarch R. E. Dickey made the presentation speech.

Chairman William F. Gude, of the convention committee, has called another meeting of the committee for tomorrow evening, when a number of the subcommittees will render reports as to the progress being made along various lines for the entertainment of the visiting prophets next June.

The Grotto Glee Club entertained Armet Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, at Masonic Temple last Wednesday evening.

Improved Order of Red Men.

Monday-Edw. Tribe, report of committee.
Tuesday-White Eagle Tribe, report of officers.
Wednesday-Edw. Tribe, report of officers.
Thursday-Edw. Tribe, report of officers.
Friday-Edw. Tribe, report of officers.

C. O. Storm, senior sargamore of Seneca tribe, has charged the movement to enlist all the tribes in this city and the surrounding country in a movement to participate in the inaugural parade, is meeting with success. He is also seeking donations to establish a sufficiently large to feed all those who turn out and to provide them with a place in which to dress in their costumes.

The great sargamore, J. Heidenreich, in the future will make the remainder of his committee appointments.

Logan Tribe, since the first of the present year, has initiated twenty-five candidates.

Oseola Tribe feels it an honor to have one of its members elected to the position of great sargamore—Charles J. Benner, who is the chief of records of the tribe.

W. J. Kolb, the keeper of wampum of Heidenreich, who has been absent from the city on business in New York, has returned. The chief of records of the tribe, J. D. Bragunier, has been appointed great sargamore of the Great Council of the District.

Oseola Tribe, No. 6, which has recently moved to Amity Hall, in K Street southwest, is having good attendance.

Redwing Tribe celebrated its third anniversary on Monday evening. Chairman A. Kruse, of the committee on arrangements, presented the following program: Vocal solo, by W. O. Buser; address, by Great Sargamore R. E. Dickey; grand march, by A. S. Miskell and B. S. Brown; remarks, by J. C. Prishning; address, by W. J. White.

Great Junior Sargamore C. J. Benner was a visitor to Seneca Tribe last Friday night.

National Union Councils.

Monday-Scott Council, No. 48; Federal Council, No. 49; National Washington Council, No. 130.
Tuesday-W. H. Collins Council, No. 130.

Potomac Council, No. 208, met at Pythian Temple Monday evening. One candidate was initiated and five applications were received. The officers met at headquarters to devise ways and means for promoting the work undertaken by the council officers and members. President Thomas Ryan and Speaker William J. O'Brien, of the District of Columbia Council, were the guests of Potomac Council.

At the regular meeting of State, War and Navy Council on Tuesday evening several applications were received. Ex-President Charles H. Miller and P. M. Kennerly reported the proceedings of the District Council.

Seven candidates were initiated and several applications were received at the meeting of Congressional Council on Wednesday evening at Typographical Temple. At the close of the meeting a euchre and dance was held for the entertainment of the members and guests. Speaker John H. Hayes notified the officers and members that he had secured a number of valuable prizes to be awarded to the members for attendance at meetings and for securing new members.

The regular business meeting of McKinley Council, No. 992, was held Friday evening. Ten candidates were initiated by the National Union Club degree team, under leadership of Capt. Elmer Johnson, assisted by the club quartet. Several additional applications were received. President

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EPISODE NO. 9.

By GUY W. McCONNELL.

Scenario by George B. Seitz.

The past chiefs of Friendship Temple, No. 1, will give a social in honor of the temple Wednesday night. Degree will be conferred, and there will also be a pound party for the Emergency Home for Orphans, at Bar Croft, Va.

Rathbone Temple, No. 1, entertained Friday night at a Colonial social. The committee in charge follows: Mrs. Olivia Atherton, chairman; Miss Lois Booth, Miss Elizabeth Turner, Mrs. Mary Mitchell, Mrs. Emma Motyka, Mrs. Bertha Williams, Mrs. Kate Smith, Mrs. Roberta Prescott, Mrs. Edith Barkman, Mrs. Demarest Simpson, Miss Josephine Jarboe and George Barkman, C. H. Atherton, H. Eliton Smith, John Prescott, Harry Anderson, J. L. Motyka and J. Edward Wilson.

The Past Chiefs Association was entertained at its last meeting by Mrs. Martha Jarboe.

Sons of Veterans.

The meeting of William B. Cushing Camp last Friday evening was in celebration of Lincoln's and Washington's birthdays. Three members of Congress were present as guests of the camp and made addresses emphasizing the need of preparedness. Gen. Isaac R. Sherwood, the only member of Congress who is a veteran of the civil war, gave personal reminiscences of Lincoln. Col. Thomas S. Croft, member of Congress from Pennsylvania, a veteran of the Spanish-American war, told of his experiences and Representative Morgan, of Oklahoma, also gave an interesting talk. Miss Ida May Lang gave two readings. Junior Vice Commander Stevens, Past Commander Lang and Miss Murray sang.

Last Thursday morning at the new Central High School an American flag was presented to the school by William B. Cushing Camp. The presentation speech was made by Past Division Commander Silas E. Robb, who as patriotic instructor of Cushing Camp, spoke of the particular need at this time of National Day for the loyalty of the citizenry. Principal Emory Wilson accepted the flag in behalf of the school. Miss Ida May Lang then recited "Old Glory." Senior Vice Commander J. Clinton Hilt presided. The flag committee of Cushing Camp, including Bro. Beckman, Garlick, Scott, Robb and Burst, then went outside and raised the flag on the flagpole in the stadium.

The members of Cushing Camp will soon be able to welcome Brother Herbert W. Rutledge back to Washington, as he is to return with the D. C. N. G. from the Mexican border.

The members of the Grand Army of the Department of the Potomac are going to march in the parade on Inauguration Day.

Knights of Columbus.

On Washington's Birthday, the Fourth Degree General Assembly held patriotic exercises at the D. A. R. Hall. The speaker of the evening was Judge O'Brien, New York. The affair was arranged by a committee of which C. Eugene Edwards was chairman.

Last Tuesday evening Carroll Council held an interesting social session under the direction of the lecturer.

The third degree of the order was exemplified last Sunday to a class of 113 candidates, under the direction of the State deputy and District Deputy McCann and Schaeffer. After the degree a complimentary dinner was tendered to the candidates at the Continental Hotel.

Next Tuesday evening, February 27, under the auspices of Washington Council, a debate will be held by the students of the Catholic University on the question of suffrage for the District of Columbia. A loving cup will be presented to the winners of the debate.

A meeting of the entire membership of the order will be held this morning at 11:15 o'clock to discuss the details of the scheme proposed by the advisory committee looking to the erection of the new home for the order in this jurisdiction.

Alcantara Caravan, No. 12, Order of Alhambra, held a social last Monday evening at the Elks' Hall, under the direction of Grand Commander John A. Eckert and the Master of Oasis Anton A. Auth.

The annual memorial mass for the deceased members of the order was held at St. Mary's Church, under the direction of Washington Chapter last Thursday.

There will be a meeting of the Tag Day Committee for St. Ann's Infant Asylum in the Knights of Columbus hall at 8:15 o'clock tomorrow evening.

A. O. H.

Last Sunday the regular monthly meeting of Division No. 2 was held in Eagles' Hall, Sixth and E streets northwest. Encouraging reports were made by the following committees: Chesapeake Beach excursion, Irish history, advisory and membership. The sick committee reported James C. Barry well and Timothy Dugan sick.

The following committee represented Division No. 2 at the funeral of Daniel J. Sullivan: John J. Dolan, Mark H. Tolan, Daniel F. Driscoll, James S. Dugan, Timothy D. Daly, Patrick J. Heltig, M. P. Sullivan, and Patrick H. Gallagher. Eulogies upon the deceased were delivered by President John J. Dolan and M. P. Sullivan.

The secretary was ordered to draft letters of condolence for the following: To Patrick T. Niland, vice president, Division No. 1, upon death of his wife; District President Joseph A. Daly, because of recent death of his wife, and Mrs. Dougherty in death of her brother, Daniel J. Sullivan.

William J. Clancy was obligated. Upon motion of Robert J. Barrett, arrangements will be formulated for a dance which will be held Easter Monday night or some night soon thereafter.

In a mastery address, Judge Michael M. Doyle, of the Irish history committee, urged the members to support the President of the United States in the present crisis.

Division No. 4 will meet at 2:30 today in the hall at 405 K Street southeast.

Modern Woodmen of America

The grand ball given by Washington and Lincoln Camps, Modern Woodmen of America, at Odd Fellows Hall Tuesday evening, was a success, nearly 200 couples being present. Harry L. Daisell, of Lincoln Camp, was chairman of the committee in charge of the ball. The reception committee was composed of Capt. Harry A. Walsh, consul of Washington Camp; Harry H. B. Heltig, consul of Washington Camp; W. D. Downs, consul of Lincoln Camp, and E. A. Chaffee, past consul of Lincoln Camp. The floor committee was composed of H. H. Hunter, John W. Self, C. W. Treadway, George Birch, William Amos and F. M. Roberts.

At the meeting of Washington Camp, No. 1144, Modern Woodmen of America, Friday evening, Capt. Harry A. Walsh presided. The principal address of the evening was made by James W. Crooks,

(Note: The story of Pearl of the Army, a future serial, is being planned here in the form of a series of scenes in the theater house the picture is produced.)

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G. W. U. NOTES

Miss Alma Barker, of Teachers' College, has left the university.

Dr. A. W. Kenner, Medical School, '15, has been assigned to active duty in the United States Army Medical Corps.

The Enosian Literary and Debating Society has elected these officers: Roy

Admiral Charles Herbert Stockton, U. S. N., retired, president of the University, and Martin Augustine Knapp, A. M., LL. D., member of the board of trustees of the university, have been elected directors of Gallahad College.

Dr. H. Edmund Friesell, dean of the University of Pittsburgh, was a recent visitor at the chapter house of Psi Omega Fraternity.

Psi Omega has announced the pledging of Messrs. Woolts and Genesee, of the freshman class.

Dr. Griffin Frazier, Dental School, '15, has successfully passed the examination for dentist in the United States navy.

Lambda Chapter, of the Phi Sigma Kappa Fraternity, has nine members and has prospects of two more joining.

Sted Pitt, member of Nu Nu Chapter of Sigma Chi at Columbia University, recently spent a few days at the local chapter house.

"Doc" Neale, of Omega Tau Sigma, is engaged in work at the District Health Office, determining the bacterial content of air in Washington theaters.

W. H. Wright recently attended the meeting of the Grand Council of Omega Tau Sigma, held in Ithaca, N. Y. While there he was a guest of Beta Chapter at Cornell.

Delta Pi Chapter of Sigma Nu recently gave a formal dance at the chapter house.

PAINTED SKULL WARNS.

Sign Used at Curve on Prominent Southern Highway.

Asheville, N. C., Feb. 24.—"Half This Road is Yours, the Other Half Mine."

This big sign greets the eye of the motorist on the splendid ten-mile stretch of asphalt-macadam road between Asheville and Weaverville, which is a link of the Southern national highway from Washington to San Diego, Cal.

The sign is located at the city limits and is a powerful reminder that others have rights on the road.

A half mile beyond at a sharp curve the road is marked by a big sign which is painted a skull enshrouded in black, with "Just Around the Curve" underneath, involuntarily brings the driver to slow speed.

The springbok of South African will clear from thirty to forty feet at a single bound.

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